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IRONTON, MISSOURI.
THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1904.

Announcements.

Primary Election May 21, 1904.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce DR. E. L. BARNHOUSE as a candidate for Representative of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JOEL B. HOLLOMAN as a candidate for Representative of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN C. HORN as a candidate for Representative of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce MARION LEWIS as a candidate for County Judge—Southern District Iron County—subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce WARREN C. JOHNSON as a candidate for County Judge—Western District Iron County—subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce P. W. WHITWORTH as a candidate for Collector of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce W. H. VAN NORT as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. P. DAMRON as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce JAMES LEWIS as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce LUTHER DANIELS as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JAMES G. AUSTIN as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. POLK as a candidate for Sheriff of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

FOR TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce J. N. LEWIS as a candidate for Treasurer of Iron County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The home grown berry should be here soon.

David Kendal is making the city assessment.

See Winkler's auction ad. on opposite page.

June festival, Graniteville, June 15th. Don't forget.

The receipts at the Baptist bazar last week were about \$150.

The Sells & Downs circus is in Southeast Missouri this week.

A mild suggestion. There should be no horse racing on main street.

The Reynolds county telephone is now as far south as Greenville.

The visitors last Sunday had in use about all the rigs in the Valley.

Joseph W. Polk made speeches in Farmington and Fredericktown this week.

W. T. O'Neal was appointed city collector at the last meeting of the city council.

The screen factory will probably run for a month or more before shutting down for the season.

Last Thursday was pay-day at the range and the boys came to town to get rid of their money.

The excursion train from St. Louis Sunday brought a good crowd of visitors to the Valley.

Rev. George Hull is at his brother's, Dr. L. Hull, quite sick we understand.—Fredericktown Tribune.

The soldiers have telephone communication from the rifle range to the Bell telephone at Arcadia.

Let every Democrat in the county try and get to the polls next Saturday. It is a duty and privilege.

J. Lopez is in St. Louis this week buying the opening stock for the store they will put in Ghermanville.

Democrats will not forget the mass meeting May 24th to select delegates to the various conventions.

Our merchants say they will begin closing at seven o'clock the first of June. It is a righteous move.

Chas. M. Hay, well known in this county, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination in Wayne county.

Louis Schwaner of Fredericktown is in the Valley, called here by the death of his father-in-law, Mr. Deneke.

The Missouri building at the World's Fair will be dedicated June 3d. All Missourians who can should attend.

Every good Democrat in the county should get out and vote next Saturday. Let's make the vote a big one.

It is intimated here that the local option law is again proving a farce in Wayne county. Booze plentiful and no license paid.

John W. Callahan, who ran a commission business here last fall and winter, is now located at Batesville, Arkansas.

No one seems to want to risk their reputation as a prophet and make a forecast of a result of the primary next Saturday.

If we get that modern hotel at Arcadia it will be of more benefit to the Valley than anything that has come our way in a long, long while.

Hon. M. R. Smith of Farmington addressed the voters at Graniteville Wednesday night of last week in advocacy of his candidacy for Congress.

No. 20, north-bound at six o'clock in the evening, now stops regularly at Arcadia. This makes it possible to travel north from the Valley in the evening.

W. H. Whitworth, J. I. Marshall, J. L. Baldwin and Will Edgar, Jr., spent last week at the mouth of Stout's creek fishing. Their luck was only fair.

Father J. C. Berryman and wife of Caldonia have entered the Farmington Sanitarium. The aged couple are in ill health.—Farmington Progress.

Services as usual at the Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at the usual time. The public is invited.

Gov. Dockery has appointed county clerk O'Neal as a delegate to the International Good Roads convention which is being held in St. Louis this week.

MARRIED—At the Presbyterian Manse, on Monday evening, May 16, 1904, by Rev. W. S. Acorn, Mr. Guy Snyder and Miss Hattie Johnson, both of Ironton, Mo.

Indications are that we will have more summer visitors this year than for some time past. And how many more we could have if we only had the accommodations.

Mr. J. E. King, of St. Louis, will be prepared to accommodate his Southeast Missouri acquaintances and their friends, at reasonable rates, at 3936 West Bell Place. Three car lines.

We are pleased to note that "Squire W. A. Ryan has so far recovered his health as to be able to be about again. He had been confined to his room for three months.—Potosi Journal.

There will be a called meeting of the Ministerial Association of Arcadia Valley at the office of Rev. Geo. Steel, chairman, on Monday afternoon, May 23d, at 4 o'clock. W. S. ACORN, Sec'y.

Judge Green held court for Judge Dearing in Jefferson county last week. Judge Dearing, we are sorry to hear, is still in poor health. Judge Evans of Howell county will hold court in Reynolds county next week.

Eugene Kilgore, who formerly lived in Ironton, was here last week. About a year ago Kilgore had one of his legs cut off just below the knee in a smelter at Flat River. He has instituted suit for \$10,000 damages.

After fifteen years courtship, Mr. Thomas Dunn and Miss Jane Loyd were united in matrimony on the 15th day of May, 1904, at R. A. Dunn's residence in Annapolis, Mo., Sylvester Kitchell, J. P., officiating.

Drew Loyd of Annapolis was arraigned before the Mayor Saturday morning on the charge of being drunk and disorderly on the street the evening before. He was fined \$1 and costs, and in default of payment languishes in jail.

A gang of men commenced work here yesterday to extend the telephone line to Leatherwood to the lumber mill owned by Stevenson Bros. of Des Arc. It will probably be extended to Saco on the Twelve Mile creek.—Piedmont Banner.

Miss Kate Reel is in St. Louis this week in the interest of the millinery department of the Lopez Store Co., acquainting herself with the new styles and to buy a new line of ladies' misses' and children's hats, which will be in this week.

Graniteville and its annex, Ghermanville, expects to do some business this summer. Joe Kerchner opened a saloon in Ghermanville last week and it is said a couple more are being contemplated. Lopez's are arranging to put in a store in Ghermanville, too.

Well, the agony will all be over Saturday. We don't think there ever was a quieter contest for nominations in the county than this has been. No trouble and everybody apparently in the best of humor. We'll be in fine shape to meet the common enemy in November.

Wm. Deneke, an old and respected citizen of Pilot Knob, died this (Wednesday) morning at 12:15, aged 72 years, 4 months and 7 days. His death was resultant from a stroke paralysis Sunday evening. The funeral will take place from the Lutheran church Thursday morning, 11 o'clock.

The editor last week received a copy of the Bellefonte, Pa., Democratic Watchman announcing the death of Mrs. Rebekah Burnside which occurred in Bellefonte on April 28th. Twenty years ago Mrs. Burnside was a resident of Ironton, spending a summer in the Metcalf property on Shepherd street. Many old residents remember the deceased very well and sympathize with the family. Mrs. Burnside was eighty-one years of age.

Rev. J. H. Young, D. D., of St. Louis, will dedicate the Methodist church at Bellevue, Sunday May 29th, at 11 A. M. The dedication will be followed by a basket dinner and another sermon by Dr. Young at 2:30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited.

L. H. DAVIS, Pastor.

The Handkerchief Bazar given by the Baptist Ladies' Aid Society May 12th was a complete success financially and otherwise. The ladies desire to thank those who added pleasure to the occasion by their sweet strains of music, and also to the public for their liberal patronage. The net receipts exceeded \$100.

The REGISTER greatly regrets to hear of the death of Mr. Fred. Basse at his home in Milwaukee, Wis., on the 6th inst. He died after an illness of nine days. The family resided in this town three years, and Mr. Basse was well and favorably known. To the bereaved widow and fatherless children the REGISTER extends its sincere sympathy.

We learn that Dr. J. L. Eaton, of Irondale, local surgeon there for the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Ry., has been promoted to division surgeon, with headquarters at Bismarck. This promotion is a just and deserved one, and the hospital department has acted wisely in securing for this important position so worthy and competent a physician, and surgeon.—Potosi Independent.

The new house of worship recently erected by the Baptist Church at Cedar Grove, near Munger, will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies on Sunday, May 29, 1904. The sermon will be preached by Rev. George Steel, of Ironton. Basket dinner on the grounds. The ordinance of baptism will be administered by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Calvert. Visitors will receive a cordial welcome.

The pastor and members of the Baptist Church and Sunday school have formed a Temple Builder's Band, pledged to contribute some amount each week toward the building of their new house of worship, such gifts to be continued until the building is completed and paid for. The amount realized each week is now nearly two dollars. The contributions range from one cent to ten cents. They hope to increase this amount quite largely in the near future.

"When the gold fever was raging in 1849," Champ Clark relates "a young couple from Pike county made a long journey in a wagon overland to California, where they prospered and waxed rich. The wife always wanted to return to the scenes of her childhood, but she had heard so much of the horrors of seasickness that she postponed the trip until the railroad was built, by which time by a turn of the wheel they were reduced to poverty and she was never able to go back home. Finally she became sick. A doctor was summoned, pronounced her malady incurable and notified her gently as he could to set her house in order for her days were numbered. The preacher was called to administer the consolation of holy religion. When he was about to go he said: 'Sister, is there anything else I can do for you?' Her eyes brightened as she replied: 'Brother, I do not know how much influence you have on high, but I wish you would pray that when I start to heaven I can stop and visit two weeks in Missouri.'—Crawford County Democrat.

The following is reproduced from last Sunday's Globe-Democrat: "Mr. H. M. Collins of Ironton, who has been spending a few days in St. Louis, reports that the fishing down in the Southeast is now exceedingly fine. Mr. Collins, who is a real live sportsman, is enthusiastic over the present state of fishing affairs down in his part of the Ozark country. 'The way our boys have been bringing in the fish for the past ten days just set me wild,' said the Ironton liverman to Al Golden on Thursday. 'If you want to find a place for your Golden Gate fishing club to locate, come down and spend a few days at the silver mine on the St. Francis, about eight miles from our town, and you won't look any farther. During our recent big flood the dam at Iron Mountain lake gave way and millions of fine fish were let out and into the St. Francis, Black river and Stout's creek, and this accounts to a certain degree for the great fishing at this time. Many years ago Mr. C. C. Maill stocked Iron Mountain lake with all our native game fishes, and millions have been put in it since, besides those that have been hatched. At the silver mine on the St. Francis there is a dam which form a nice deep lake even in low-water times. It is a beautiful spot and the fishing for bass, jack salmon, crappie and channel cat fish is fine. Some of those big bass from Iron Mountain lake must have taken up their abode at the Silver Mine lake. Judging from the specimens our anglers are bringing in every day. We always find good fishing about our place, especially in the early summer, but this spring has proven the most generous of all to the fishermen, and the past hunting season was not a bad one, either. Big river is all right now, and they are getting a good many fish down there, but nothing like the strings that come from the silver mine and other places about our town. You come down once and bring some of the club members, and I'll show you where to catch fish and one of the jolliest times you ever had out in a beautiful country like ours. We get plenty of minnows down our way and all the other kinds of bait needed for fishing. The ride out from Ironton to the silver mine is full of interest just now, and the prospects of even one day's fishing are fine and dandy. I can tell you that Stout's creek is not a slow place to cast your hook. There are pools down there that are full of

bass, and when it comes to fly fishing, mabe you don't think we're right in it. Both Stout's creek and the St. Francis out in the silver mine region are fine places to cast the fly when the roses of June are a bloom.'"

PERSONAL.

W. R. Edgar went to St. Louis Sunday.

Claude Jarvis was here from De Soto Sunday.

Godfrey O'Neal was here from Irondale Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Patton is visiting her parents in Illinois.

A. Winkler was here from Poplar Bluff last week.

Ed. Doyle was in town from Middlebrook last Thursday.

Mrs. Polite Elvins visited friends in Arcadia the past week.

H. M. Collins took some horses to the St. Louis market last week.

Miss Frazee of De Soto was the guest of Miss Eva Riley the past week.

Judge Hough's family came down to their summer home last week.

Geo. Clarkson of Bismarck has been in Oklahoma for several weeks.

Allison Tims was in St. Louis last week taking a civil service examination.

Mrs. Dr. Meredith of St. Louis visited relatives in the Valley the past week.

Miss Clara Acorn arrived home Saturday from the Warrensburg Normal School.

Mr. Brown, of Mullin & Brown, left the first of the week for a visit to his home in St. Louis.

Roy Snyder and Fred Delano have secured positions as conductors on street cars in St. Louis.

Claude Marshall has gone to De Soto, where he has a position with the Knorr Supply Company.

Miss Mary Souard last week entertained Miss Blanche Turner and a number of school mates from Mary Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauray Carleton were here from St. Louis last week.

They will occupy the Lopez cottage this summer, coming here about June 1st.

Among those who came from St. Louis on the excursion were Clarence Whitworth, Will and Chester Brown, Will Ahrens, Willard Love and Thos. Bolch.

Miss Hattie S. House of Battle Creek, Michigan, who had been spending the winter in Little Rock, Arkansas, stopped in Ironton a few days last week on her way home.

Go to Collins & Smith's for your groceries. They have them fresh every day.

The Sill of the Old Front Door.

On the sill of the old front door,
Where my mother and I sat together;
Oh, the mansion is gone,
And the barn fallen together,
But the love that was then shall not die.

CHORUS.

Let the mansion be gone,
And the barn fallen together,<
But the clouds above us are true,
As I sit in the door sill of my newly built cottage,
And think when we sat there, two by two.

All my recent homes are pleasant,
But none can exceed the joys of the past gone by.

With no loving hand to guide me
On the very dear way
To my mother now in Paradise.

Once more I hold the threshold,
And tears begin to start,
As I think of the past gone by,
In a seat in the door sill, my mother and I,
As we taught by the river side.

ADELE AMELING.

Des Are Items.

Measles are still raging; several new cases.

There was quite an excitement at the post-office Saturday afternoon, caused by a runaway team, which came near catching the two little girls of W. M. Wegner, but they were saved by Mrs. W. A. Farr and one of the teamsters.

Mrs. Jim Sutton and A. Buckner, of Granden, are visiting their mother, Mrs. J. Semands.

Miss Nellie Brainard is the guest of Miss Bell Rhinerson this week.

Hubert Lucy is visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Zell Lewis and family, of Hendricks, are visiting home folk at this place.

Quite a crowd went fishing yesterday, with the result that the suckers were on the wrong end of the pole.

Eddie Maddock, who has been down with the measles for the past month, has returned to work again.

Glennie Harrison, of Graniteville, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. Russell Daniels.

Eddie Maddock, Miss Lina Farr, Tom Vinna and Miss Carrie Wray climbed the hills Sunday and bedecked themselves with wild flowers. How beautiful is nature.

Miss Eva Stevenson and little sisters, Ethel and Lena, were the guests of Miss May Williams Sunday afternoon.

E. W. Graves and wife are taking in the World's Fair this week.

REBECCA.

Graniteville Items.

W. R. Allen is in St. Louis this week.

A. Tolleson, of Granite, Ill., spent Sunday with home folk.

Tom Borer and Geo. Winkler, of De Soto, spent Sunday with friends here.

Ed. and Wm. Meade went to St. Louis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of Poplar Bluff, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Kate Edmunds returned from De Soto Friday.

Miss Pearl Edmunds, of Bellevue, spent Sunday with friends in Graniteville.

J. Kerchner went to St. Louis Tuesday.

John Meade moved his family from Kansas City to this place last week.

P. W. Schneider was down from the city Saturday.

Miss Katie Kerwin, of St. Louis,

Arcadia Valley General Store.

MY place at the table has been vacant for a week or two, but I am back again to stay with the venerable boys. As for the second-hand horse shoes, am sorry to say I am out, but the church steeples I have, and will throw in a chime of bells to make the jingling of the guinea help the hurt that honor feels. I will quote a few prices that will act like soothing syrup on your pocket-book. Everything else in the store in like proportion:

18 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar	\$1.00	National Biscuit Co.'s Cakes; sold elsewhere at 20 & 30c; per lb	15c
8 Bars Lenox Soap	25c	Wire Nails, all sizes, per lb	3c
6 Cans Pet Cream	25c	7-foot Poultry Netting, per rod	40c
Radston's Crisps	10c	Strictly Pure White Lead, per cwt	\$6.50
6 Packages Celluloid Starch	25c	Boiled Linseed Oil, per gallon	50c
4 Packages Sweet Home Currants	25c	Ornamental Glass Front Doors from, each	\$3.50 to \$4.50
2 Boxes Axle Grease	15c	Portland Cement, per bbl	\$2.50
2 pkg, 1 lb each, Sweet Home Soda	10c	Lime, per bbl	\$1.25
California Bartlett Pears, a can	10c		
"Tulip Brand" Succotash (corn and lima beans) per can	7c		

Bro. Speck is holding forth in our Fresh Meat Department, and will be glad to serve the public with Beef, Pork, Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Sausage, Etc., at very lowest prices. I shall defer prices on Dry Goods, Notions, Etc., until next week, which I will assure the public will be in line with the above. Our lady friends are cordially invited to inspect our Dress Goods, Embroideries, Etc.

LOUIS MILLER, Arcadia, Missouri.

spent last week with her parents at this place.

Burglars entered the Schneider Granite Company's store and tried to blow open the safe, but failed. However, they took several pair of shoes.

Miss Mattie Hartman, of St. Louis, came home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hale, visited in Flat River last week.

Rev. Mayberry will start a revival meeting in the M. E. church Saturday night.

The Syntetic Granite Company has been repairing their sheds and railroads, and, we understand, will resume work in the near future.

A. J. Sheahan has about one hundred men at work on his new railroad from Middlebrook to this place.

Mrs. Mider, of Doe Run, spent last week with relatives here.

Joe Kerchner opened a new saloon Monday. This makes three for this little town.

Houston Ferguson came home sick from the city Saturday. We hope for his early recovery.

GIBRALTAR.

The Epworth Junior League of Graniteville had a nice time last Tuesday at the box supper. Everybody enjoyed it.

Benj. Kidd is very sick at his home. His children are with him at present.

Mrs. Jonas Thurman has been confined to her bed the past two months. Her daughter, Nancy, is with her at present.

Momen Mills visited his mother in Brule last Sunday.

Emory Edmunds had business in Brule last Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Graniteville will serve ice cream every two weeks, commencing May 21st, at Workman's Hall.

Mrs. Hartman Sr., of this place, is very ill at her home.

The sick ones have the heartfelt sympathy of this community.

Miss Maud Ferguson visited in De Soto last week.

Miss Ava Sloan was a caller at Graniteville last Saturday.

Mrs. Leo Lett visited relatives at Graniteville last week.

B.

FOR RENT—A cottage of four rooms, in Ironton, completely furnished for housekeeping, for two months; twenty-five dollars. Apply to Mrs. O'Brien, Ironton, or Mrs. H. W. Kerchner, 422 1/2 W. Bell ave., St. Louis.

Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, May 17, 1904:

ished for housekeeping, for two months; twenty-five dollars. Apply to Mrs. O'Brien, Ironton, or Mrs. H. W. Kerchner, 4621a W. Bell ave., St. Louis.

Wednesday	11	80	42	
Thursday	12	81	46	
Friday	13	69	59	.12
Saturday	14	68	36	
Sunday	15	73	32	
Monday	16	58	51	.21
Tuesday	17	63	50	.11

NOTE—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

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Bears the Signature of

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

NOTICE.—Any patron of the Ironton Telephone can have long distance (Bell Telephone) connections with their place, upon the payment of ten cents a month.

JOHN T. BALDWIN & SONS.

WANTED.—At once, 25 lumber stackers and 25 common labor hands; good wages; steady employment. For particulars address Holladay-Klotz Land and Lumber Co., Greenville, Mo.

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